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SUBJECT: UK DEFENSE MINISTER'S VISIT TO MAURITIUS

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EMBOFF INFORMED BY FCO OFFICIAL THAT PURPOSE OF BRITISH
DEFENSE MINISTER MASON'S CURRENT VISIT TO MAURITIUS IS TO
DISCUSS TERMINATION OF BRITISH FACILITIES IN MAURITIUS IN
ACCORDANCE WITH UK DEFENSE REVIEW. BY DISCUSSING TERMIN-
ATION PERSONALLY WITH MAURITIANS, MASON HOPES TO PREVENT
STRONG CRITICAL REACTION. HE IS ALSO PLANNING TO SWEETEN
THE WITHDRAWAL BY TELLING MAURITIANS UK WILL TURN OVER TO
THEM PLANT AND INSTALLATIONS, PLUS SOME UNCLASSIFIED COM-
MUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT. RICHARDSON

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